

TOLD BRIEFLY THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS IN ALL LANDS

Peace Notes

Following hard upon numerous manifestations of forthcoming opposition to his policies in the San Francisco convention, President Wilson has called upon the Democratic party in emphatic terms to rally to an espousal of the League of Nations covenant and rejection of the Lodge reservations.

A peace treaty has been concluded between Soviet Russia and the Republic of Georgia, according to a wireless message from Moscow. The treaty provides that Russia shall recognize the independence of Georgia and undertake not to interfere in Georgia's internal affairs.

Funds are being raised by the American Legion and various newspapers in the United States for the purpose of caring for and decorating the graves of American soldiers in France. There is no conflict between the campaigns of the papers and the legion. All the money will go eventually to the same place.

A mutiny broke out in Fiume at 5 o'clock the other evening, a fierce battle between the carabinieri and arditelli developing. Twelve men were killed and fifty others wounded. The troops involved are those of Gabriele D'Annunzio's forces.

It is very likely that the League of Nations, when it meets in Rome May 14, will demand a definite statement of the allied supreme council's future policies. Feeling between the two organizations has reached the point where the official view holds that it is impossible for both organizations to flourish as at present.

The council of the League of Nations has refused to offer a mandate for Armenia to any power unless certain requested stipulations are embodied by the supreme council in the Turkish stelement, according to official information received in Washington.

Premier Millerand, in the coming Allied-German economic conference at Spa, Belgium, will propose to Prime Minister Lloyd George that Great Britain sanction a proposal to have Germany pay the allies a fixed annuity of 600 million dollars for a period of thirty years, special dispatches from Paris forecast.

Dr. Friedtjof Hansen, the Norwegian explorer, probably will head an organization to be set up by the League of Nations to repatriate two hundred thousand German, Austrian and other war prisoners in Russia.

Washington

Coincident with confirmation in official dispatches of the capture of Mexico City by revolutionists, the navy department announced that the destroyer flotilla had been ordered from Key West to Tampico, also in rebel hands. No disorder was reported either in Mexico City or Tampico.

All Chinese restaurants and shops in Washington were closed recently in observance of China's national humiliation day, the fifth anniversary of China's acceptance of Japan's ultimatum containing twenty-one demands to create Japanese suzerainty of China.

As congressional apportionment is made on the basis of the decennial census, the problem arising from an enlarged house of representatives is placed fairly up to congress. Leaders already are discussing a plan to hold the house at least in its present proportions.

Or 275 million dollars appropriated as federal aid to states for hard-surface road building in 1916, only 12 million dollars actually has been expended. At present the government road building program is seriously handicapped by the shortage of labor, the high cost of material and the lack of road building equipment.

Japan has withdrawn all objections to the Chinese consortium and has prepared a communication accepting the terms as agreed upon by the United States, Great Britain and France, the state department has been informed by the American embassy at Tokyo.

Domestic

The fifth anniversary of the sinking of the steamship Lusitania by a German submarine was observed in New York with special memorial services for those whose lives were lost in the disaster in several churches. A general service was attended by members of many patriotic organizations.

Nation-Wide measures in opposition to the passage of a soldier's bonus bill were urged at a mass meeting in New York under the auspices of the City Post Club, American Legion, and the committee for aid to disabled veterans, at which United States Senator William H. King, Utah, and Representative Herbert C. Pell, Jr., of New York spoke.

Twenty-four hundred and fifty-nine persons have been convicted of violating the Mann white slave law in nine years, according to figures furnished the Chicago Law and Order League by the department of justice.

Mike Vukovich, an employee of the Chicago Curled Hair Company is in a hospital believed to be the sixth victim of anthrax. Five persons have died in Chicago recently from anthrax. Three of the dead were employees of the factory.

While attending a school field meet in which her son was a participant, Mrs. F. Mahl, mother of three children, was killed when a bullet said to have been fired from a starter's pistol struck her in the chest. Death at first was thought due to heart disease.

Southwest

The federal garrison at Vera Cruz, consisting of approximately 500 well-armed and equipped soldiers, went over to the revolutionists recently, according to apparently reliable, but unofficial, advices received at Galveston, Tex.

Two persons were killed and three injured, two probably fatally, when a motor car occupied by five crashed into the side of a concrete culvert at a sharp turn on Lemmon avenue at Dallas, Tex.

Meager salaries paid by the government have crippled the postoffice carrier department. The carrier system in Oklahoma City is worse than it has been in years and shows no signs of improvement, according to Claude Weaver, postmaster.

A Missouri Pacific local passenger train and an extra freight met in head-on collision near Hope, Ark., recently. Railroad officials said the passenger train was badly wrecked and four cars of the freight demolished. Several passengers were injured.

The state fair secretaries and a number of leading county fair secretaries of Missouri and Kansas met at Kansas City recently and formed the Midwest Fair circuit. The circuit is intended to promote better livestock breeding and better fairs in the two states.

Ursula Broderick 16, who killed her stepfather, Joseph F. Woodlock, in their home at St. Louis, April 14, 1919, was found guilty of murder in the second degree by a jury in juvenile court and her punishment fixed at ten years in the Missouri penitentiary.

Failure of more than 50 per cent of the townships along the Kansas City Northwestern railroad to vote bonds or call elections probably will result in the early junking of the road, according to W. W. Hooper, attorney for the road.

Foreign

A bomb was thrown at Hussein Darwiche, the Egyptian minister of works, as he was motoring homeward from his office. The bomb struck the gasoline tank of the motor car, slightly injuring the chauffeur. The minister, however, was unhurt.

Secretary Wilson of the labor department has ruled that membership in the Communist Labor party does not of itself constitute sufficient ground for deportation of aliens.

General Francisco Murguía, Carranza military commander at Mexico City, before leaving the capital, which now is in complete possession of revolutionary forces, carried out a wholesale slaughter of political prisoners at Santiago, the military prison, according to a bulletin issued at revolutionary headquarters in El Paso.

Reports, official and unofficial, credit the Mexican rebels with further bloodless successes. Information reaching the rebel agents, they said, pointed to an early occupation of Piedras Negras, Laredo and Matamoros, the only important border points of entry remaining in Carranza control.

Dr. Pastacci, a noted chemist, of Rome, has discovered a method of cheaply producing liquid hydrogen. It may be used in driving automobiles, one gallon being sufficient for 250 miles. It also may be utilized in railway locomotives and in the engines of ocean steamers, he says.

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Sonora revolutionists have formally declared for the overthrow of President Carranza. A proclamation has been issued by the leading revolutionists of the state, under the title of the plan of Agu Priets, setting forth the aims of the revolution in full.

A disastrous fire swept the residence district of Batesville, Ark., burning to the ground about fifty residences and leaving homeless more than three hundred persons with a loss estimated at about 1/4 million dollars.

French troops entered Aintab, Asia Minor, April 14, and have relieved the situation there, according to a statement made public at the French embassy in Constantinople. Messages sent from Aintab April 12, asking for immediate aid for American workers there were received recently.

Thirty-four thousand seals, valued at \$175,000, were the total catch during the season which has just closed reports say. This is the smallest number of seals taken in the history of the industry.

Each of the 270 school teachers and supervisors in the Green Point section of Brooklyn has been allotted a bonus of \$100 by the American Manufacturing Company for their faithful attention to children of the company's employees.

Two men working in a curled hair factory died in Chicago recently from anthrax, one of the rarest diseases among humans known to medical science. The hair came from Argentina, where the disease is common among sheep and cattle.

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